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Standard Oil Co. Secures Location

J. D. Wren sold today to the Standard Oil Company his property located on the corner of East Main and Wilson streets in this city. Mr. Wren purchased this location about two years ago for the purpose of erecting a two-story brick garage, fronting on Main street and running back on Wilson street 165 feet. Had he carried out his plans this would possibly have been the largest and best equipped and most modern garage in Central Kentucky.

Having been offered what he considered a fair price for this location and knowing that the garage business to be already overdone to a certain extent in this city, he has decided to continue in business in his present location and not build at present.

The price paid for this property is private, but is said to be over \$10,000, and the Standard Oil Company is to be congratulated on securing this location for their filling station, as it is one of the best in our city. A permit to build was granted by the city council last night.

NOTICE

If you have a piano, piano-player, organ, phonograph or sewing machine you want repaired or sold, or if you wish to buy one, see J. H. Brown, Brown's Music Store, Bank street. (12-8t-pd)

BUY LAWRENCEBURG NEWS

R. E. Garrison, for 25 years connected with the mechanical department of the Lexington Leader, and Keen Johnson, formerly of Elizabethtown, have purchased the Anderson News, a weekly newspaper at Lawrenceburg, from H. V. Bell. The new management issues its first issue this week. Mr. Garrison is widely known and popular, while Mr. Johnson is a former newspaper man and veteran of the world war. He has recently been taking vocational training at the University of Kentucky. Their new shop is well equipped and includes a linotype. The News is the only paper in Anderson county. The Advocate wishes them success.

Hemstitching and picoting attachment works on any sewing machine, easily adjusted. Price \$2.50 with full instruction. Oriental Novelty Co., Box 11, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Grapefruit, oranges and apples at Vanarsdell's.

Bazaar-Exchange

—at—
Eastin & Harris'
Beautifully Dressed Dolls
and many Handsome Articles
and Novelties for
Xmas.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT
Friday and Saturday,
DECEMBER 2 and 3.

LADIES OF EPISCOPAL
CHURCH.

"Billy" Senff Asleep in Jesus

William Nesbitt Senff, approaching his seventh year, son of Judge E. W. Senff and wife, after contending with the white plague for three years past, on Wednesday morning yielded in the struggle for life and entered on rest. Funeral services were conducted at the grave in Machpelah cemetery this morning by Rev. J. W. Crates, and the body of the bright little boy, who knew no sin, was consigned to the earth to await that day when he shall arise to meet Him who said, "Permit the little ones to come unto me."

The flower is a bud, then a bloom and soon is of the past. So it was with little Billy, born, is of a few days, endured much of pain and then, like the candle that flickered a little, went out. Gather up the toys, put away the little shoes and stockings and that vacant chair where Billy sat, wipe away the falling tears and look up through the rifted clouds to where the sun shineth and behold bone of your bone, flesh of your flesh, little Billy, safe in the arms of Jesus. God giveth and He taketh; blessed be His name. He will be there waiting for you. Grace sufficient to bear this burden comes to those who ask it of Him. Won't you remember, as David of old, that the child cannot return to you, but you can go to him. Here, with the poet, it is a dream, yonder it is real. Ponder and live in this poetic trance: Thy memory, as a spell

Of love, comes o'er my mind;
As dew upon the purple dell—
As perfume on the wind;
As music on the sea—
As sunshine 'on the river;
So hath it always been to me,
So shall it be forever.

I hear thy voice in dreams
Upon me softly call,
Like echoes of the mountain stream,
In spouting water fall;
I see thy form as when
Thou wert a living thing,
And blossoms in the eyes of men,
Like any flower of spring.

Thy soul to Heaven hath fled,
From earthly thralldom free;
Yet 'tis not as the dead
That thou appearest to me.
In slumber I behold
Thy form, as when on earth,
Thy locks of waving gold,
Thy sapphire eye of mirth.

I hear, in solitude,
The prattle kind and free,
Thou uttered in joyful mood
While seated on my knee.
So strong each vision seem
My spirit that doth fill,
I think not they are dreams,
But that thou liveth still.

Orders for electric lamps and shades should be given now in order to be delivered by Xmas eve. Electric Shop.

BUYS BUSINESS PROPERTY

Sam Hollearn has bought of M. O. Cockrell the building he now occupies on East Main street for a private consideration.

FREE TICKETS To See "The Affairs of Anatol" Tabb Theatre Next Monday and Tuesday.

All you have to do is to find your name, which may be hidden in any one of the advertisements in this paper, clip the ad and bring it to The Advocate office and receive a ticket absolutely free.

"The Affairs of Anatol" has twelve big stars, including Wallace Reid, Gloria Swanson, Bebe Daniels and many other favorites.

It will be at the Tabb next Monday and Tuesday.

Best Picture Ever, Lasky Says of Anatol

"Undoubtedly the best thing we have ever done," said Jesse Lasky, vice president in charge of production of Paramount pictures, on his return to New York from Hollywood studios, where he saw the first print of "The Affairs of Anatol," the 12-star Cecil B. DeMille production by Jeanie MacPherson.

"Mr. DeMille has surpassed all his previous efforts. For lavishness of costuming as well as powerful drama 'The Affairs of Anatol' will live up to the cast which has been given it, and the cast, with its twelve individual stars, is the greatest ever assembled in one picture.

"There were some predictions," continued Mr. Lasky, "when we first planned to combine our stars into one stock company, that the players who had been used to individual stardom would not work together harmoniously. Both Mr. DeMille and I discounted these predictions, because we believed the 12 artists would appreciate the benefits accruing to them from participation in such an epoch-making picture.

"It was no surprise to me, then, when I found the picture had been completed with no petty jealousies, no display of temperament and no hard feelings. The players all subordinated themselves into enacting the story Jeanie Macpherson wrote

from the Schnitzler drama.

"It was no easy task for the photographer, Alvin Wykoff and Karl Struss, to get the best effects from their cameras with a picture which includes in its cast such famous artists as Wallace Reid, Gloria Swanson, Elliott Dexter, Bebe Daniels, Monte Blue, Wanda Hawley, Theodore Roberts, Agnes Ayres, Theodore Kosloff, Polly Moran, Raymond Hatton, Julia Faye and others.

"From the standpoint of the cameramen, every one of these luminaries offered an individual problem. The case can best be explained by stating that Wallace Reid has certain lighting arrangements under which he appears to best advantage. Gloria Swanson requires an entirely different gradation of lights. Wanda Hawley, a blond of the most pronounced type, requires still another arrangement and Bebe Daniels who is as markedly a brunette as Wanda Hawley is a blond, again "takes" best under different condition. To the photographers was given the seemingly impossible task of synchronizing the lighting effects so that all appeared on an equal photographic footing that would still show up each individual to the greatest advantage.

"The difficulty was increased by the fact that each important character had his or her favorite style of makeup. One of the leading characters has a decided preference for yellow grease paint. Another favors pink. Still another has decided that

Tobacco Money May Soon Be Available

Warehouse facilities may be acquired and arrangements made by the committee of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Marketing Association so that growers may deliver part of their crop and receive a payment thereon before the holidays, it was said by Chairman Ralph Barker, of the warehouse committee. He pointed out the fact that 95 per cent of the warehousemen who are backing the movement also are growers.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AT AYRES & COMPANY'S

A carload of choice apples, every apple a sound one, at 80 cents per peck.

Choice sweet potatoes, 5 cents per pound.

Oranges, fresh from the Florida groves, 25 to 40 cents per dozen.

Grapes choice, 20 cents per pound. Luscious bananas.

ASSESSMENT COMPLETED

Tax Commissioner Harry F. Howell has completed the assessment of property for 1921. His recapitulation, which has been mailed to the state tax commissioner, and which is 30 days earlier than the law requires, amounts to \$14,054,975, as compared to \$15,151,890 last year, making a reduction of 7 1/2 per cent. Mr. Howell states that he expects to make every effort possible to persuade the state tax commissioner to approve his assessment without a raise. He further states that if the fiscal court could reduce the county rate and also the school rate a like amount, then the state reduce in proportion, our taxes would be about 30 per cent less next year. Each branch of taxation would contribute its proportional part of the decrease and thereby relieve the burden. Of course, in order to do this, the obligations must be reduced first, but Mr. Howell declares this would be a simple matter.

Farm light plant—Big bargain. Slightly used. Electric Shop. (12tf)

FOR SALE

Purebred Bourbon Red turkeys. Mrs. Catlett Everett. 15-1

she shines best under the arc lights in a green pant. The resulting complexity of having several characters in different shades of makeup practically multiplied the cameramen's difficulties.

"The work was in, large measure, facilitated by the spirit of co-operation which permeated the cast. Every member of 'The Affairs of Anatol' was an experienced screen actor or actress and had learned the value of sacrifice. The result was that in some cases it was necessary to alter the makeup from the individual's favorite style in order to insure the success of the photography, the change was made willingly for the success of the production."

Note—"The Affairs of Anatol" will be shown at the Tabb Theatre next Monday and Tuesday, matinee daily.

Sad Death of Son of Robert Nelson

Robert Nelson, Jr., aged 6 months, son of Capt. and Mrs. Robert L. Nelson, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Nelson, of this city, died at the home of its parents last Saturday at Portsmouth, Va., of spinal meningitis. The child's grandparents were at his bedside when the end came. The little fellow was a very attractive child and was dearly beloved by his parents and grandparents, who are grieved beyond words over the passing of their loved one.

RICHARDSON BROS. & CORNWELL'S SPECIALS

Best porterhouse steaks.....	25c
Best roast steaks.....	25c
Rump roast	20c
Rib roast	20c
Shoulder roast	20c
Chuck roast	15c
Plate roast	10c
Pure pork sausage.....	25c
Pork steaks and chops.....	25c
Good home-made sausage.....	20c
Best grade flour	\$4.25
100 pounds H. E. sugar.....	\$7.00
5 pounds eastern cane sugar.....	\$1.85
50 pounds net Swift's lard.....	\$6.75
47 pounds American Beauty lard	\$6.25
Good ground coffee, pound.....	25c
Everything for black cakes. Everything in fruits and vegetables in season.	

RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA

H. G. Hoffman, the hustling state representative of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co., has returned from a business trip to the home offices in Los Angeles. Mr. Hoffman reports a most enjoyable trip and states that business prospects in the west are very flattering, and predicts a speedy return to prosperous times in this and every other section of the United States.

GIFT SHOP

The Woman's History Club will hold its annual Gift Shop and Exchange all day Friday and Saturday, December 9 and 10, at the club rooms. Beautiful needlework and hand-painted articles suitable for gifts. Hot drinks, sandwiches and lunch served at all hours. Anything accepted for sale on commission. (15 and 17)

MCDONALD HOME IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

The residence of John McDonald, on the Winchester pike, near the city limits, caught fire at noon yesterday and considerable damage was done before the blaze could be extinguished. The loss is covered by insurance.

SATISFACTORY ADJUSTMENT

The Hombs Co. fire loss has been adjusted. Great sale begins tomorrow in the H. H. Pieper building. Clothing, shoes and men's furnishings. See large advertisement in Tuesday's Advocate.

A CARD

I take this method of thanking my neighbors and the fire department for their valuable assistance in saving my house from burning.—Roy L. Morris.

LUMBER FOR SALE

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300 Rooms 300 Baths
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THE FRIENDLY SEASONS

We're friends with all the seasons,
no matter how they go—
We're thankful for the summer, and
we just rejoice in snow,
And neyermore this world shall be a
ness of woe,
While dreamin' of its harvests in the
mornin'.
We're thankful in the darkness for
the dreams that whisper Light!
For the thought that mornin's comin'
with a wreath of roses bright;
For the harbor that's off yonder,
with the rest of it in sight—
Where the ships will ride at anchor
in the mornin'.

Even when a girl has a red nose,
she gets some consolation out of the
knowledge that her skin is white
where you can't see it.

SALT LICK

Mrs. Isaac Hall, Correspondent

The Sunday School of the Christian church will give its Christmas program December 24. There will be songs by the choir, instrumental music and a good play. Violin, L. M. Campbell; cornet, Sherman Hall; piano, Miss Nellie Goodpaster.

The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church will hold its annual bazaar December 3.

The Methodist Sunday School will give a Christmas program on December 24.

Brother Howe gave a social in honor of his daughters, Misses Bessie and Goldie Howe, who are home from school at Olive Hill. A large crowd attended.

The body of Mrs. Tommy Tompson, who died in Indiana, was brought here for burial and laid to rest at Jones' Chapel.

Elbert Alfrey, who accidentally shot himself while hunting, is doing nicely.

Mrs. C. S. Bates and son, Manuel, Harry Jones and Mrs. Prentice Flannery shopped in Mt. Sterling on Friday.

Misses Lucille Balbrige, Ollie Carter, Myree Myers and Emma Florence Perry spent the week-end in Morehead with friends.

Mrs. Otto Razer, Mrs. Frank Hagerman and Mrs. Merle Fowler shopped in Mt. Sterling Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Hagerman is visiting her sister, Mrs. Otto Razer, and brother, Merle Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howell, Ashland, were visitors here last week.

Miss Bertha Howell is visiting her brother in Ashland this week.

Rev. Lapland delivered a good sermon at Christ church Sunday night to a large attendance. We are favored with a male quartet, Kereheral, Hall, Kash and Razer.

The father of a family of twelve children is always being roasted by the neighbors. But they never say a word about the mother.



Christmas 1921

is only a little way beyond. Do your shopping early. Avoid the usual Christmas hustle and bustle. Buy while the stock is complete and before service is taxed beyond its capacity. Our stocks are larger than ever. Prices are lower. Goods selected now will be reserved for you. We predict a greater Christmas business than ever, so we say again, come early. If a purchase fails to please, your money back with a smile. The store that it here to please and grow.

OUR SUGGESTIONS:

KUPPENHEIMER SUITS
KUPPENHEIMER OVER-
COATS
MANHATTAN SHIRTS
SILVER INITIAL BELT
BUCKLES
KNITTED TIES
SILK TIES
SILK SOX
WOOL SOX
GENUINE LEATHER
BAGS
HARTMAN TRUNKS
GLADSTONE CASES
HOLEPROOF HOSE
SMOKING JACKETS
RED TOP BOOTS FOR
KIDS
FITTED WEEK END
CASES

STETSON HATS
KNOX HATS
FOWNES GLOVES IN
CADETS AND REGU-
LAR SIZES, ASSURING
A FIT
ADLER'S GLOVES
INITIAL HANDKER-
CHIEFS
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS
LINEN HANDKER-
CHIEFS
UMBRELLAS
CHILDREN'S UMBREL-
LAS
RAINY DAY OUTFITS
SWEATERS
MUFFLERS
BATHROBES
FUR COLLARS FOR
OVERCOATS



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At these prices that make any one of them a most wonderful value.

These dresses are very artistically embroidered and beaded, in the most wanted materials including—

Poirot Twills

Canton Crepes

And Combinations

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THE DEPRIVITY OF LAZY INDIFFERENCE

We know of a public school ma'am who teaches French who has just given one of her classes an examination test, has herself examined the papers—forty of 'em— and marked each individual paper, all in the space of a 40-minute hour. In other words, a test that was just about worthless because the 40 pupils only had 20 of the 40 minutes in which to show what they had actually learned in the preceding month. There was no need of this senseless speed because the teacher is expected to go over the examination papers at the conclusion of the five-hour recitation period.

The explanation, of course, is that the young woman was merely lazy—didn't want to work after the regular school period—and carelessly

indifferent to her high duty.

It is simply amazing how this twin-headed microbe of indifference and laziness has spread over America in the last decade. It has invaded all classes—not anybody, but the great masses of people. Millions have not the slightest pride in the thing they are doing in life. All they care is to drag grudgingly and stupidly through a routine of alleged brain or hand labor for a few hours a day and draw as much pay for it at the end of the week as they can make the higher-up guys hand over.

This vice has never bitten very deeply into the people of the country districts, but it is epidemic and rampant in all our cities.

The farmer has suffered deflation to the hilt. The mass of the city people has resisted it successfully so far, at the same time mending their ways not a bit. We wish hard times for nobody, but it looks very much as if nothing less than real poverty will cure the city masses of the depravity represented by that French teacher.

Let's thoroughly understand that indifference is mediocrity and mediocrity is bankruptcy. God will that the nation escape that!

Three Parties to the Alexander Divorce Case.—Headline in the Detroit Free Press. Must be the wife, the husband and the public.—Chicago News. We had always supposed that the co-respondents had more or less to do with the business, too.

The Advocate, twice a week.

FORMAL OPENING OF WINCHESTER FIRM

The firm of Grubbs, Scobee and Bartlett, hardware dealers and undertakers, held their formal opening yesterday at their new place of business in the McEldowney building in Winchester. The complete line of hardware carried by this enterprising firm is displayed on the first floor, while on the second floor, which is given over to the undertaking department, a number of hand-

some caskets and shrouds were shown.

The visitors were shown through the building and were served a delightful lunch, consisting of ham sandwiches, coffee, wafers and pickles. The opening was widely attended by people from Winchester and surrounding towns. Mr. Grubbs, the senior member of the firm, is a former Mt. Sterling citizen and has a great many friends here who will read with great interest of the opening of the new establishment.

HAVE YOU HAD THE PLEASURE of Eating Fresh, Pure Home-Made CANDIES?

We pride ourselves on the quality of candy we make:

Delicious Pecan-Roll. Dainty Fudges
Taffies, Cream Candies, and
Hand-Dipped Chocolates

We Also Make Our Own Ice Cream

THE CANDY KITCHEN

KOURGES & LADAS, Props.

**Yes it can
be dyed
or
cleaned**

That last year's suit or dress can be made to appear like new. Send it parcel post to-day.

Swiss Cleaners & Dyers
500 6th St. Louisville, Ky.

TABB THEATRE

TWO DAYS

Monday and Tuesday

December 5th and 6th

The Screen Success of the Year

THERE NEVER WAS SUCH A HIT

Matinee Daily 2:30, Nights 7:30. Prices 18 and 27c Plus Tax



Wallace Reid
Gloria Swanson
Elliott Dexter
Bebe Daniels
Monte Blue
Wanda Hawley
Theodore Roberts
Agnes Ayres
Theodore Kosloff
Polly Moran
Raymond Hutton
Julia Faye

JESSE L. LASKY presents
Cecil B. DeMille's
PRODUCTION
'The Affairs of Anatol'
A Paramount Picture

GIVING THANKS

All thoughtful parents, I am sure, wish their children to have "wide interests and simple pleasures." Indeed the two go together, for the farther into the activities of others the child's sympathy carries him, the more wholesome pleasures he is sure to discover for himself. To broaden the outlook, Froebel has given mothers the Grassmowing Play. Its gay, old-fashioned little song, beginning

"Peter, Peter, quickly go
To the fields the grass to mow," shows the baby how many workers contribute to his well being. It can not fail to interest a child when he knows the cow must be fed to furnish the milk he so much likes, the butter churned and his' rolls baked from the soft white flour the miller has ground. This train of thought naturally leads him on to a contemplation of the great Source of all supply, the Giver of all good. And as the child sings these quaint little verses happily, with their appreciative climax, he is learning to express loving gratitude:

"Thanks to all are gladly said,
Baken, thank you for the bread;
Thanks dear mother shall not miss
Given with a loving kiss."

Furthermore, if a child grows up realizing how his life is interwoven with those about him he will be safeguarded against selfishness and if he is taught to think about work and play in their relationship to each other, over emphasizing either will be prevented. Roosevelt in writing to one of his sons, commended him for having excelled in college athletics, but reminded him that it was not praiseworthy to exert himself to the limit of his strength for a trivial end. He was to keep his powers at their highest, then give himself utterly when a worth while occasion arose. Even young children can be taught to keep an idea of balance, and will be richer and happier for the knowledge.

The broader the education of the parents, the more they will have to pass on to their children. Once open your child's eyes to the ways by which he is provided with food, clothing, transportation, heat, light and other comforts, and if he has a normal, eager mind he will as he grows older find means of supplementing what you have taught him. When you have given him the inestimable advantage of a fair beginning, he will see and understand the evidences of cause and effect in his life. For instance, late bedtime is pleasant in the evening, but detrimental to school work; eating vagabonds may be a trial, but I have seen four-year-olds devour them with increasing willingness in order to have "rosy cheeks and straight, strong legs."

But perhaps the greatest advantage we give our children in showing them the relationship of incidents and circumstances in their lives is the habit of appreciation. Then naturally follows gratitude to the Heavenly Father. Why should every good thing be taken for granted? Saying "Thank you" is more than an amenity. They will be better members of society for having learned to express gratitude, with the great knowledge of a reason for "Giving Thanks," in the understanding gained of

"The Life of all life,
The Light of all light,
The Love of all love,
The Good of all good—God."
—By Alice Wingate Frary.

DID you know that the "NEW CROWN" flour is made from the best soft winter wheat that is grown in the world? Why use flour that is made from hard wheat and soft wheat and any old kind of wheat? (13-4t)

You can't always tell what other people are thinking about. But when you see a withered wall flower at a dance you can bet that she is mentally resolving that the snippy young girls show too much of their shapely legs when they are dancing.

FOR SALE

Baby carriage. In good condition. Call 91. (14-2t-pd)

Announcement

Tony Benelli, of Somerset, has purchased the Delicious Cafe and will be ready for business on Monday, December 5.

The store will be completely remodeled and when completed will be one of the most attractive places of the kind in the city.

Ice cream, soft drinks, hot chocolate, etc., will be served at all times, as will sandwiches and coffee.

Fancy candies and cigars for the Holiday trade.

Everything will be strictly sanitary and "Service" will be our watchword.

The name of the cafe will be changed to

The Palace of Sweets

and a share of your patronage is respectfully invited.

THEY ARE JUST PLAIN THIEVES AND COWARDS

If anybody should ask what we think is the most crying social need of the times in America we would give him this answer:

Take the romance out of stealing. Most of us forget one thing. Every real male youngster growing into man's inches carries in his bones more or less of the spirit of recklessness, or of adventure and daring. It is the heritage of masculinity, and when directed aright by education or by natural good brains in the boys himself, it is a fine thing. But when misdirected the lad goes bad in one way or another.

America does not handle thieving, as it should be handled. We make too much of a romance out of it—anyway, something that looks like romance to the immature or degenerate brain of the thief. The trial in a crowded court room, the stories in the papers of desperate deeds, the

printing of his picture, are glorious to the young fool who has been apprehended.

We would prohibit by law the printing of a thief's name. Give him a number as soon as he is arrested.

We would make it impossible for his picture to appear outside of the "rogues" gallery.

We would have the trial occur in a barred court room.

And we would quit the use of "romantic" words, such as bandit, gunman and the like.

Let's call stealing, stealing, and a

thief, a thief.

And as for the gunmen, they are merely common murderers. Also cowardly curs, because, in a holdup, they shoot unarmed, defenseless people.

NOW is the time to buy your SALT. Hog killing is right on us and the Monarch Milling Co. can supply your salt requirement. 13-4t

When a man starts lecturing you about the blessings of poverty, look him over closely and you'll find that he has corns on his thumbs from cutting coupons.

MONUMENTS

Down goes the price, and now is the time to place your order for Spring delivery. Work is guaranteed and we can't be undersold. Night phone 753.

S. M. JACKSON

Bank and Locust Sts. MT. STERLING, KY.

Grassy Lick News

Ella Mae Leach

Misses Elsie and Delana Stephens spent Thursday and Friday with Miss Anna May Williams.

Miss Ethel Hedger spent Thursday night and Friday with her cousin, Hattie Willoughby.

Miss Emma Dee Isabel spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Dee Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bulger Settles and Mr. and Mrs. Cline Settles spent Sunday with John Settles and family.

Jesse Gilbert, a well-known young farmer of this place, was married to Miss Mary Martin, a county high

school student, last week. Their many friends wish them good luck in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Parker, of near Camargo, visited her son, Henry Willoughby, Saturday night.

Hattie and Martha Willoughby visited their aunt, Mrs. Dudley Hedger, Friday and Saturday.

Several from here attended church at Donaldson Saturday and Sunday nights.

Robert, Finley and William Willoughby spent Saturday night and Sunday with Thornton Hedger.

Miss Anna May Williams visited her cousins, Mary and Frances Willoughby, Sunday.

Sam Broughton, of Donaldson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alie Anderson.

TO BE APPRECIATED

-A GIFT

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MUST HAVE INDIVIDUALITY.

Each article in our stock is so selected that you may always find the appropriate Gift without effort.

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To the writer of the best slogan advertising Lexington as the place to do Christmas Shopping.

\$50 FIRST PRIZE \$15 THIRD PRIZE
\$25 2nd. PRIZE \$10 FOURTH PRIZE

TERMS OF CONTEST

Each store mentioned below will give you a card with a letter on it. Cards from different stores will have different letters. Prizes will be awarded to the persons submitting the best slogan using as many of the letters as possible from the cards obtained. After writing your slogan leave or mail to the Board of Commerce on Upper Street, together with the cards you have used in your slogan.

Contest Closes at 6 p. m., Monday December 12
The Cards May Be Secured at the Following Stores.

Max Ades	The Fair	Max Kaplan	The Peerless
Arcade Drug Store	Feeney's Shoe Store	S. S. Kresges & Co.	J. D. Purcell Company
Allen Electric Company	John Faig	Kaufman Clothing Company	W. M. Parrish
Army Goods Headquarters	Frazer & Morrell	Ley & Heyman	G. P. Ross
The Baby Shop	R. L. Gillispie	Leland Hotel	L. L. Roberts Furniture Company
S. Bassett & Sons	Graves, Cox & Co.	Lexington Herald	Ross-Shipp Company
Burke's Bicycle Shop	Graddy-Ryan Company	M. Lowenthal	Reed Hotel
James M. Byrnes Company	Guaranty Bank & Trust Co.	K. V. Lavery	B. B. Smith & Co.
D. T. Bolden	Home Furniture Co.	Lexington Leader	Smith-Carroll Company
Victor Bogaert Company	Honaker, the Florist	Lexington Cloak & Suit Co.	Schange's Candy Kitchen
Bell's Walk-Over Boot Shop	Hay Hardware Company	Leet Bros.	Sample Shoe Company
Burroughs Adding Machine Company	Harp Bros.	Lafayette-Phoenix Garage	Harry Simon
C. F. Brower & Co.	G. L. Heyman & Co.	W. A. McChord	Harry Skuller
A. M. Caden	H. M. Hubbard	W. M. Milton	L. B. Sapp Furniture Company
Carter Supply Co.	F. Hyman	Misses and Junior Shop	Smith-Watkins Company
C. D. Callaway & Co.	Fred J. Heintz	Mitchell, Baker & Smith	R. S. Thorpe & Sons
Clark Hardware Company	Justright Tailoring Company	Meyer & Hinkle	B. J. Treacy
E. C. Christian Music Company	J. Jacobs & Sons	The March Store	W. H. Thompson
R. Lee Cassell	Johns Drug Company	Miles Coffee House	Transylvania Printing Co.
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READY FOR BUSINESS

We desire to announce that we have moved to the Lloyd building, No. 28 South Maysville street, where we will be located temporarily and will be glad to serve our many patrons. Phone 225—Stockton's Electric Dry Cleaning Co. (14-4t)

NOTICE

A special program is being arranged for the Y. W. C. A. meeting Friday night, December 2. The public is cordially invited to be present.

WM. CRAVENS
Auctioneer
Can Get You Highest Price
Phone 143

DISTRIBUTOR FOR THE NATIONAL BISCUIT CO.

Pierce Stanton, a nephew of our Kentucky poet, Henry Stanton, who immortalized himself in the poem, "The Moneyless Man," was here on Wednesday and appointed the Jersey Milk Company as distributors in this section for the National Biscuit Company.

BARN BURNED

The big tobacco barn of W. P. Treadway, on his farm on Greenbriar, burned to the ground last night shortly after 7 o'clock, together with its contents, six acres of tobacco, a large amount of fodder and some farming implements. The fire is thought to have been of incendiary origin, and the loss is partially covered by insurance.

FARMERS! FARMERS!

We will take in trade corn for coal, salt and flour at the market price. You don't have to have money—we trade for what you raise.—S. P. Greenwade Commission & Storage Co., S. Queen & Railroad.

STEWARDSHIP RALLY

A Stewardship Rally was held at the Christian church Tuesday by representatives of the United Christian Missionary Societies from St. Louis. The sessions continued through the day, and were well attended. R. M. Hopkins, of the Sunday School department; J. E. Moody, missionary to China, who is at home on a furlough and who has had seven years in India, and Miss Lela Taylor, of the College of Missions, had charge of the program, each making several talks during the sessions. In the evening besides the addresses, stereopticon views were shown. The main stress of the talks was on stewardship and tithing. A number of visitors from the county missionary societies were in attendance and everyone was served with lunch at noon.

NOTICE!

Ayres & Co. are unloading the most beautiful car of apples ever brought to Mt. Sterling. Come to the car and make a reservation for your Xmas use.

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For Sale—Miscellaneous

WM. ADAMS & SON
Marble and Granite Monuments
Large Stock, Prompt Delivery, Motor Truck Service, 503 West Main Street, Lexington, Ky. 1-yr.

FOR SALE—Pianos, player pianos of highest grades. Talking machines of best makes—13 Bank St., Mt. Sterling, Ky.—J. H. Brown, Manager.—J. H. Templeman Piano Co., 137 North Broadway, Lexington, Ky.

LOANS on Farms, any amount, 50 per cent of value. See KeKee, 31-33 South Bank Street.

My stock of winter hats is now selling at cost. Miss Bettie M. Roberts. (14-2t)

COLD WAVE COMING

Get your scalding tub from McCormick Lumber Co. (6-tf)

WANTED—Turkeys for Christmas market. G. D. Sullivan & Co., Locust street, phone 474. (14-6)

Monarch Milling Co. sells every kind of chicken feed that you can think of—wheat, wheat screenings, cracked corn, shelled corn, Corn Hen, Nutro Hen and Laying Mash. (13-4t)

WANTED—Everybody to know that I sell the famous John Deere Wagons and Post Buggies. Also carry a complete line of saddles and harness.—J. E. LYONS.

WHY buy the counterfeit flours that come to Mt. Sterling when you can get a home product, the "NEW CROWN" that is pure, wholesome and white. (13-4t)

TURKEYS!

We want your turkeys and will pay top market price. E. T. Reis, Locust street, phone 645, Mt. Sterling, Ky. (14-6t)

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at the Plum Lick school house Saturday night, December 3. Everybody invited. Proceeds for benefit of the school. (14-2t)

Our Christmas Stock is the largest we have ever shown. An early inspection is invited.

ONLY 20 MORE
SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL
CHRISTMAS.



To All My Friends: Just to let you know that my headquarters this year will be at A. B. Oldham & Sons, where I will have a large and varied assortment of suitable Christmas Gifts.

Santa Claus

Mount Sterling's Largest Christmas Store Offers Toyland Now Open



Silk Umbrellas

What could be a more suitable gift for Wife, Mother or Sweetheart than a handsome Umbrella? We have them in all colors and styles and most reasonably priced. Don't fail to see them.

Footwear

In our Footwear Department may be found a wide selection of House Slippers for Men, Woman and Children. For a sensible gift, one of real comfort, we would suggest a pair of these Slipper.

Mrs. Jesse Highland



With our young friends in mind when we visited the markets, we purchased the most complete line of Toys ever shown in this city. Our store is a veritable TOYLAND and everything to make glad the heart of a child on Xmas day may be found here.

SUGGESTIONS THAT ARE SURE TO PLEASE

Dresses, Suits, Coats, Comforts, Blankets, Furs, Gloves, Petticoats, Royal Society Embroidery Goods, Silk and Wool Hose, Blouses—handmade and Georgette.

The Apex Electric Carpet Cleaner

THE BEST ON THE MARKET not only as a Xmas gift, but a gift for every day in the year. Ask the busy housewife, who knows the meaning of those hours and hours of hard work that she is saved by this modern method of cleaning. Any woman will be proud to be the owner of an Apex Electric. Let us demonstrate them for you.

Handkerchiefs

Nobody ever had too many handkerchiefs and they are always acceptable gifts. From the plainest hemstitched ones to those of daintiest crepe de chine, we have them.

Handsome Bags

Beaded Bags and Pocketbooks have always been great favorites as gifts. We have a most attractive assortment and will be glad to show them to you.

A. B. OLDHAM & SON, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES NOW ON DISPLAY

My stock is now complete and I urge you to call early and inspect my large line of beautiful Holiday Gifts while my stocks are unbroken.

HERE YOU WILL FIND

French Ivory Sets and Single Pieces,
Manicure Sets,
New Books of all kinds,
Music Rolls,
Ladies' and Gents' Pocket Books,
Fountain Pens,
Initial Stationery and Cards,
Holiday Stationery,
Domestic and Imported Perfumes and
Toilet Articles,

Merscham and Briar Gold Mounted
Pipes,
Cigars in Christmas Packages,
Shaving Sets
First Aid Sets,
Gents' Military and Traveling Sets,
Christmas Cards,
Letters and Seals,
Blocks' Candies in Holiday Packages.

And other suitable Presents for old and young, too numerous to mention at

Duerson's Drug Store,

Mrs. J. M. Conroy

**MT. STERLING,
KENTUCKY.**

SOCIETY

Mrs. Margaret Boswell, of Lexington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. A. Savage.

Mrs. Richard Montjoy has returned from a short visit to Miss Lucy Simms in Paris.

Miss Alice Spence is visiting in Lexington.

Mrs. Avillen Lowe is visiting in Winchester.

Mrs. Ollie McCormick was a guest of Mrs. L. C. McCormick, in Lexington, Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas Hinkle spent Tuesday with friends in Lexington.

Mrs. Luther Ogg and little daughter, Jane, are here for a short visit to Miss Jennie Orear.

Miss Mildred Todd has returned to her home in Winchester after a visit to Miss Louise Smathers.

Mrs. W. R. Tipton, Mrs. Jackson Stoffer and Miss Nola Morris were shopping in Lexington yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. Berry Pieratt, of Chicago, have been guests of Mr. Pieratt's mother, Mrs. J. M. Pieratt.

Mrs. W. P. Huntington, Mrs. D. C. Fox and Mrs. James Gatewood were among the number that went to Lexington Wednesday.

Mrs. Claude Carter and two children, Naoma and Irma, of Frankfort, have returned home after a few days' visit with Mrs. F. D. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bohlke and Paul, Jr., were in Cincinnati this week making purchases for their attractive electric shop and also visiting their kindred.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bowling, of Millersburg, and Mr. and Mrs. William Bowling, of Paris, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Richardson for Thanksgiving dinner.

Mrs. C. W. Nesbitt, Miss Margaret Nesbitt, Mrs. Steye Pieratt, Mrs. James Nesbitt, Mrs. Lee Orear and Miss Jennie Orear were in Lexington Tuesday for the day.

J. D. Wren and J. O. Demaree have been in Detroit for the past several days on business and on their return home they brought with them a handsome Dodge coupe and a touring car.

Miss Gertrude Collins, of Mayslick, and Miss Virginia Duff have returned to the University of Kentucky, Lexington, after a visit to Miss Duff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Duff.

Mrs. Walter Annette of New York, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. V. Nuckols, for several months, will leave today for Philadelphia, where she will be joined by

Mr. Annette, and they will be guests of a house party entertained by Miss May Griffith before returning to their home. Mrs. Annette has had a very lovely visit to her old home and had many social affairs given in her honor at Lexington, Shelbyville and Mt. Sterling.—Lexington Herald, November 30.

Misses Katherine and Queen Rooney, of Washington, D. C., will arrive Monday to remain until after the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rooney.

*Misses Susie and Ella Leach entertained some of their friends to a Thanksgiving party Thursday evening, November 24. Those present were: Misses Elsie and Delana Stephens, Anna May Williams, Florence and Hester Wells, Ethel Hedger, Hattie and Martha Willoughby and Elizabeth Cravens; Messrs. Ralph and Willie King, Stone Gilvon. Pelma Kerick, John Riffitt, Byrnie and Dudley Kline, Milton and Harry Kirk, Robert Cravens, Goebel Gilvin, Edgar Wells, Thornton Hedger, Ery Sampson, Guy Barnes, Jesse Gilbert, James and Floyd Williams, Enoch King and Turley Willoughby. Games were played until a late hour and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Bogie Entertains

Mrs. Anderson C. Bogie was hostess to her bridge club Tuesday night at her home in the country. Mrs. Katherine Goodpaster making the highest score, was awarded the prize, a box of dainty handkerchiefs. After the game the hostess served delightful refreshments. Her guests were: Mrs. Goodpaster, Mrs. John Beams, Mrs. John Speer, Mrs. Patty J. Riley, Miss Suzette Johnson, Mrs. C. A. Lindsey, Mrs. Clayton Howell, Mrs. C. W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Josh Owings, Mrs. Robert Howell, Miss Eliza Harris, Mrs. John Stoffer, Miss Lizzie P. Coleman, Mrs. Robert Coleman, Mrs. John G. Winn, Mrs. H. G. Hoffman and Mrs. C. T. Hazelrigg.

COAL! COAL!

Elkhorn and Black West Virginia, at best coal fields of Kentucky and West Virginia, at \$7 per ton at yards. Cannel coal, the best, from Sovereign, W. Va., \$10 per ton at yards. 5 1-2 bushels salt, \$3.50 per barrel. 100-pound sack salt, \$1.50 per bag. We will take corn at market price for coal, salt and flour.—S. P. Greenwade Commission and Storage Co., S. Queen and railroad. Phone 2.

For Printing, see The Advocate.

STORE ROBBED

McCormick and Oldham's store on South Maysville street was broken into and robbed last night of goods amounting in value to between two and three hundred dollars. The thieves gained entrance into the rear of the building by climbing through a transom. A number of men's suits, shoes and some fine silk hose were stolen and there is no clue as to who committed the theft.

SALT! SALT!

We have the best salt. Buy best for curing meats. 5 1-2 bushel barrel, \$3.50; 100-pound bag, \$1.50.—S. P. Greenwade Commission and Storage Co., S. Queen and railroad. Phone 2.

IMPROVING

News from Lexington states that Mrs. Lewis Apperson is very much improved.

FLOUR! FLOUR!

Ladies if you are looking for the best white Flour to do your Xmas Baking we have it.—S. P. Greenwade Commission and Storage Co., S. Queen and railroad. Phone 2.

Remember this—that there is a proper dignity and proportion to be observed in the performance of every act of life.

DAIRY FEED

We have the best dairy feed that has come to Mt. Sterling, 25 per cent protein that will make the milk flow. S. P. Greenwade Commission and Storage Co., S. Queen and railroad. Phone 2.

You wouldn't recognize F. G. Greene's car now since he had it washed and put in new spark plugs.

Shelled nuts of all kinds at Vanarsdell's.

Ingratitude is so common that witnesses for the defense often have something coming to them.

Prunes, peaches and apricots at Vanarsdell's.

IN THE CITY FOR A DAY

Mrs. Cora Cannoy, proprietress of the Frenchburg Hotel, one of the best hostels of Eastern Kentucky, was in the city Wednesday purchasing supplies and also buying Christmas gifts for her relatives and friends. Menefee county is doing a large business in Mt. Sterling.

SPECIALS AT J. B. RIDDLE'S FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Large size can sweet potatoes.....10c
Good pink salmon15c
Good chum salmon12c
Karo syrup, 1 1-2-lb. can.....10c
Best quality large size can tomatoes, 18c, or 2 cans for.....35c
Lye hominy in large cans.....10c
Pie peaches, gallon cans60c
18-oz. mops for.....40c
16-oz. mops for.....35c

STAR LAUNDRY

Take your laundry to the New Star Laundry. Prompt service. The BEST of work at the RIGHT price. Star Laundry, 15 Bank street. 14-2t

Stamp out the White Plague by buying Christmas Seals.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Apply at this office. (14-tf)

Electric Christmas tree outfits demonstrated only at the Electric Shop.

New figs, dates and raisins at Vanarsdell's.

Buy Xmas Seals and help the poor.

New cereals at Vanarsdell's.

TABB THEATER

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14
Matinee and Night



Prices—
Night—75c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.
Matinee—50c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.50
Mail Orders Accepted—Seats on
Sale Saturday, December 10, at
Land & Priest's.

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OLDHAM'S SPECIALS

Saturday and Monday December 3rd and 5th.

Last week we told you that for the next ten days we would offer our entire line of Ready-to-Wear Garments at greatly reduced prices. Below we are quoting you just a few prices to show you how much in earnest we are about these reduction:

- 25 handsome suits in Velour, Tricotine or Tricofina, put out by such tailors as Printz-Biederman, Bernstein and Steinberg, wide assortment of styles and colors, formerly sold from \$59 to \$79, special\$39.50
- 1 lot of 18 suits tailored by same firms as above, Blue, Taupe, Brown or Black, plain or fur trimmed, formerly sold from \$45 to \$50, now 29.50
- 40 suits, Poiret Twill, Tricotine, Serge and Velour, formerly sold from \$35 to \$40, a real old-time bargain at..... 19.50
- 1 lot of 20 suits, odd sizes and patterns, in Serges and Tricotines, sold as high as \$32.50, to be closed out at..... 12.95
- Plaid and Striped Wool Skirts, former price \$8.50 to \$16.50, to be closed out at\$3.48 to \$6.98
- Just received 25 dozen Bungalow Aprons, famous Textile brand, taped necks, full cut, worth \$1.50..... .98
- Ladies' Knit Petticoats, worth 98 cents..... .49
- All Crochet Cotton, white and colors, 3 for..... .25
- Royal Society Mercerized Embroidery Floss, full line of colors, 3 skeins for10
- 1 lot of Ladies' Outing Gowns, extra heavy, full cut, former price \$1.5098
- Plaid and Stripped Wool Skirting, 54 inches wide, beautiful line of patterns, worth up to \$4.98, special, per yard..... 2.50
- Ladies' heavy Outing Petticoats49
- Boys' Slipover Sleeveless Sweater, Gray, special..... .49
- Men's Slipover Sweater, Sleeveless, special..... .75
- L. L. and Hoosier Brown Cotton13 1-2
- Hope, Daisy, and Advertiser Bleached Cotton13 1-2
- 1 lot of Ladies' and Children's Gingham Dresses, slightly soiled, that have been put in this sale at job prices. Don't fail to see them before leaving the house.

Mrs. C. C. Chenault

OUR "TOYLAND"

is attracting more and more attention, and no wonder, for seldom is so complete a line at such reasonable prices offered for your inspection. Christmas is drawing near and the early shopper is the fortunate shopper.

A. B. OLDHAM & SON, MT. STERLING, KENTUCKY.

TABB THEATRE Monday and Tuesday December 5 and 6

Matinees, 2:30—Nights, 7:30
Prices—18c-27c, plus tax

All Your Life You Have
Heard of an All-Star Cast.
Here You Will See One!

Wallace Reid

Gloria Swanson

Elliott Dexter

Bebe Daniels

Monte Blue

Theodore Roberts

Agnes Ayres

Theodore Kosloff

Polly Moran

Raymond Hatton

Julia Faye

Joe L. Lasky presents

CECIL B. DeMILLE'S

PRODUCTION

The Affairs of Anatol

With an all Star Cast

A picture recording in scenes of unrivalled beauty the exciting exploits of a lover of love. A shimmering, dashing riot of color and luxury. Warm with the life of real-world men and women.

KENTUCKY TURF'S GREAT PROGRESS

In the Last Three Years the Kentucky Jockey Club Has Distributed in Stakes and Purses \$3,479,655.00.

THOROUGHBRED YEARLINGS INCREASE IN VALUE.

[From the Lexington (Ky.) Thoroughbred Horse.]

It will be of particular interest to the breeders of thoroughbreds in this State, and to those persons everywhere who own and race horses to review the situation in Kentucky and to show the progress that has been made in the last seventeen years. As the value of stallions and broodmares depends on the quality of their produce and the ability of that produce to win stakes and purses, a comparison of the present prosperous condition of the turf with other days when prices were low and breeders and turfmen everywhere had cause for complaint will be of value at this time.

Never in the history of the turf have thoroughbreds been so valuable as they are right now. The best barometer is the public market and the auction sales at Saratoga last August showed that, despite the general prostration of business, well bred horses with individuality brought the best average in many years. The highest price of the season at Saratoga was \$21,000 for the brother to The Porter. Several others were sold for more than \$10,000 each and a number of likely looking colts and fillies brought from \$5,000 to \$7,000 each. The market generally was steady and unspotted, which is to say it was stable.

The prices were based on the probable earning power of these colts and fillies, and if organizations like the Kentucky Jockey Club did not offer generous stakes and purses, it would not be possible to market their yearlings advantageously. Neither would it have been possible for S. C. Hildreth to have paid \$125,000 for the brother to Man o' War, \$150,000 for Inchepe, or for Benjamin Block to have paid on a \$75,000 valuation for the mighty Morych, or for a number of others to have paid the large prices given for horses with capacity to hold their own in contests on the turf.

Fifteen years ago it was no uncommon thing in Kentucky for turfmen to run their horses for \$400 purses. This year the Kentucky Jockey Club distributed in stakes and purses an average of \$12,000 a day to the turfmen; no purse at Churchill Downs or Latonia was under \$1,300, and many of them reaching \$1,400 and \$1,500 each. In 1905 the Kentucky Derby was worth \$4,850. Since the existence of the Kentucky Jockey Club, which was organized three years ago, the Kentucky Derby was worth in 1919 over \$20,000; in 1920 over \$30,000, and in 1921 the Kentucky Jockey Club added \$50,000 to the royal stake. All the other stakes on the roster of the Kentucky Jockey Club at Lexington, Churchill Downs and Latonia have been proportionately increased.

In the three years of its existence the Kentucky Jockey Club has distributed to the turfmen \$3,479,655, the greater part of which sum was paid to citizens of Kentucky who own and breed race horses.

Since the Kentucky Legislature in 1906 created the State Racing Commission, we have had cleaner and better racing than ever before, and since the organization of the Kentucky Jockey Club we have had an era of prosperity for breeders and turfmen unequalled in the turf history of this State.

Here are the official figures for the past seventeen years, from 1905 to 1921, inclusive:

1905—	Total number of racing days...155	Total amount of money distributed.....\$420,350.00	The highest purse given was \$750 and the lowest \$900, and the average was a little more than \$400 each.
1906—	Total number of racing days...174	Total amount of money distributed.....\$517,500.00	Purses averaged about \$450 each.
1907—	Total number of racing days...119	Total amount of money distributed.....\$362,350.00	Purses averaged about \$450 each.
1908—	Total number of racing days...111	Total amount of money distributed.....\$299,400.00	Purses averaged about \$450 each.
1909—	Total number of racing days...112	Total amount of money distributed.....\$249,900.00	Purses averaged about \$450 each, although this year purses at Lexington ran as low as \$250.
1910—	Total number of racing days...112	Total amount of money distributed.....\$316,550.00	Lexington purses ran as low as \$300, and the average for the whole circuit was \$450 each.
1911—	Total number of racing days...116	Total amount of money distributed.....\$398,350.00	Purses averaged about \$500 each.
1912—	Total number of racing days...109	Total amount of money distributed.....\$347,200.00	Purses averaged about \$500 each.
1913—	Total number of racing days...108	Total amount of money distributed.....\$444,900.00	Purses averaged over \$600 each.
1914—	Total number of racing days...104	Total amount of money distributed.....\$439,200.00	Purses averaged over \$600 each.
1915—	Total number of racing days...102	Total amount of money distributed.....\$481,460.00	Purses averaged over \$600 each.
1916—	Total number of racing days...107	Total amount of money distributed.....\$589,400.00	Purses averaged about \$650 each.
1917—	Total number of racing days...106	Total amount of money distributed.....\$653,150.00	Purses averaged about \$750 each.
1918—	Total number of racing days...101	Total amount of money distributed.....\$652,050.00	Purses averaged about \$850 each; Latonia, Douglas Park and Churchill Downs increasing many of the overnight purses \$1,000 each.
1919—	Total number of racing days...98	Total amount of money distributed.....\$997,190.00	The Kentucky Jockey Club was organized this year and took over the Lexington, Churchill Downs and Latonia race tracks. The average daily amount given in stakes and purses at all tracks was \$10,175, and the seven races each day averaged \$1,453 each.
1920—	Total number of racing days...107	Total amount of money distributed.....\$1,200,800.00	The average daily amount in stakes and purses at all tracks was \$11,214, and the seven races each day averaged \$1,602 each.
1921—	Total number of racing days...108	Total amount of money distributed.....\$1,281,675.00	The average daily amount in stakes and purses at all tracks was \$11,867, and the seven races each day averaged \$1,695.00 each.

The prohibition enforcement plan is even more lax in the west than it is in the east, according to the Little Rock Gazette. As the late lamented Greeley might say, "Go west, young man, and tank up with the country."

The demand for sincerity is far in excess of the visible supply.

THE RECOMPENSE

Hear the green world replying:
To the sorrow and the strife,
"A rose for your life,
And a rose for your dying!"

Oh, joy! Whit Wright's new girl isn't much on weight. She never worries or gets in the flurries so long as her hips are on straight.

Wallace Reid, Elliott Dexter, Monte Blue, Theodore Roberts, Theodore Kosloff, Raymond Hatton, Cecil B. DeMille's, The Affairs of Anatol, Gloria Swanson, Bebe Daniels, Wanda Hawley, Agnes Ayres, Polly Moran, Julia Faye, AT THE TABB NEXT MONDAY AND TUESDAY

MENEFEE COUNTY NEWS

It is said of a truth that the darkest hours are just before day. So it is with the good county of Menefee today. Due to the recent heavy rains the public roads have become exceedingly laborious to travel, but on Friday one of the road engineers had arrived and was ready to hard surface roads and as soon as this is completed contracts will be let. One engineer begins at Frenchburg and will locate the road to the Morgan county line, while another begins with the Montgomery county line and will locate to Frenchburg. The entire citizenship of Menefee county rejoices over prospects of the speedy construction of a hard surface road through their county and will gladly donate the right of way through their lands. The fact that a good paying oil well has been brought in in a new territory is another source of encouragement. The citizens are hopeful and are doing their full part for the asking.

Circuit Court

Judge H. R. Prewitt presiding and W. C. Hamilton at duty's post, lawlessness meets with official reproof and legal punishment. The juries are conscientious men who when they make mistakes are attributable to errors of the head, and not of the heart. There are more prisoners in jail now than for years past. Nine have been committed to jail during this term. The damage suit of Squire Williams against the C. & O. railroad, asking for \$3,000, was hotly contested by Messrs. T. L. Candel, W. C. Hamilton and W. B. White, representing plaintiff, and Hogge & Clay representing the defendant, and resulted in a verdict for defendant for the full amount asked. The grand jury continues in session until after Wednesday. Indictments are numerous and most are for violations of the prohibitions laws.

Resolutions of Respect

Resolutions of the Menefee county bar upon the death of the Honorable Henry D. Combs. The subject of these resolutions departed this life at Frenchburg, Ky., on October 22, 1921. For more than 25 years he had been an honored member of the Frenchburg bar and had enjoyed a large and lucrative practice. For many terms he held the offices of county court clerk and circuit court clerk of Menefee county and his official record was that of efficiency and honesty. During the Civil war he cast his lot with the armies of the south, and was a true and valiant soldier. At the close of this war he joined the United States army for the purpose of and did assist in putting down Indian uprisings in the far west, and after this service was honorably discharged. Some fifty years ago he married Miss Juda Martin, who now survives him. Besides his widow he leaves to mourn him the following children: Garrett, John, Robert, Taylor, Brooks. Mrs. James Osborne, Mrs. Thornton Hedger and Mrs. Helen Hovermale and many grandchildren. He was a man of great native intellect, a genial companion, a true friend and of rugged honesty. He was a kindly neighbor and devoted to his family, and the people of Menefee county have suffered a severe loss in his death. At the time of his death he was seventy-nine years of age, and led an active life up to within a short time before his death. He was buried on the hill near the place where he had lived so long and which he loved so well. May he rest in peace. Be it resolved that these resolutions be spread upon the order book of the Menefee circuit court and a copy thereof be delivered to the widow of the decedent. T. L. Candel, J. F. Osborn, W. B. White, committee.

Frenchburg School Notes

School and church established in 1909. Main school building erected in 1910, hospital in 1915 and dormitory in 1917. Work is controlled and financed by the Woman's General Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian church of North America. Three men have served as su-

perintendent of the work—Rev. Brainard Jamieson, 1910-11; Rev. A. G. Weidler, 1911-18, and Rev. W. J. Giffin now holds the office. This year Rev. W. P. Gordon came to serve as school principal and assistant. At present the corps of workers is composed of 16 persons, including superintendent, principal, two matrons, a physician, janitor and ten teachers. The present attendance in school is 230. Of this number about 40 are boarding pupils. Five counties have been represented in the school this year. The work of the school covers primary, intermediate, grammar and high school work. A music department was added last year. At present the school building is being remodeled in order to secure additional class rooms and library and a new building is being erected to provide a home for the workers. This building is 84 by 33 feet, constructed of brick and equipped with modern conveniences. The first floor will provide apartments for two families and the second floor provides rooms for ten teachers with store room and kitchenette. Approximate cost of building and equipment is \$30,000. Total cost of all buildings and equipment \$100,000. All are equipped with modern conveniences—water, steam heat and electric lights. The present school management is one of the conspicuous factors that has led to present attainments. M. J. Giffin, superintendent, and M. P. Gordon, principal. Such schools with the co-operation of the parents have greatly reduced the illiteracy percentage in this section. This school has a value in the

Lexington Maid Flour

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Ar. Atlanta (C. T.) 11:25 A.M.
Ar. Macon (E. T.) 3:10 P.M.
Ar. Tampa 5:55 A.M.
Ar. Clearwater 7:30 A.M.
Ar. St. Petersburg 8:30 A.M.
Ar. Bradentown 7:25 A.M.
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Queen City Special (No. 44)	8:55 A.M.	9:30 A.M.
*Blue Grass Special (No. 28)	7:20 A.M.	10:25 A.M.
Carolina Special (No. 14)	8:25 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Local Express (No. 16)	2:45 P.M.	5:55 P.M.
Royal Palm (No. 2)	6:05 P.M.	8:45 P.M.
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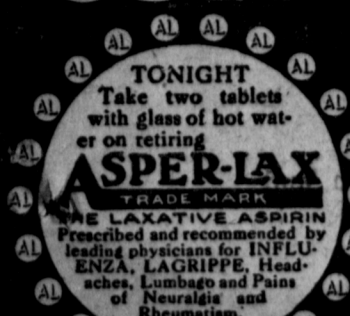
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Willie Ragan, Correspondent

Sam Kincaid, of Mt. Sterling, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Stanley Turley and wife, of Mt. Sterling, visited his uncle and aunt, G. W. Turley and wife.

James Treadway and wife were in Mt. Sterling Saturday.

Jacob Moore, of Olympia, visited friends here last week.

Burl Stull of Bourbon county, was here Sunday.

Miss Artie Kincaid, of Mt. Sterling, visited Miss Clay Ebevin this week.

Mrs. Callie Ragan and daughter, Willie, of this place, and Charles Ragan, of Mt. Sterling, took Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. A. B. Thomason at Mt. Sterling.

S. T. Ratliff's sale on November 22 was a success and he and his family will move to Ewing, where his sons are in business.

We wish you would hush: The weary householder had just crawled into the hay as the clock struck midnight. He turned over to pound his ear and just then the telephone down stairs rang. He crawled out and went down the hall to the phone. "Hello" he called. "Hello!" replied the hard female voice of one of the neighbors. "Say, mister, last time you went down in your cellar to get a drink your left your electric light burning, and your wife will make it hot for you if she finds it burning in the morning."

Most women are more worried over getting wings on their hats than they are over getting wings on their shoulders.

For Printing, see The Advocate.

It is asserted by a well known statistician that American college girls need a course in "In how to hold your husband."—Little Rock Gazette. The old-fashioned husband used to hold his wife, now and then, but things seem to have changed. The people who trifle with the most

sacred of covenants by attempting to turn a formal marriage ceremony into an unmeaning jest, may incur thereby sufficient trouble to cause them to appreciate the poetical lines which affirms that a "joke is a very serious thing."

A woman with no pockets can carry twice as many articles as a man with eighteen pockets. And she won't lose one of them.

Folly is not always a fool—mayhap 'twere wisdom under another name.

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Father of James M. Cox Dies in Ohio

Gilbert Cox, father of former Governor James M. Cox, died Sunday at his home in Camden, Ohio, after a protracted illness. He was 88 years of age.

Mr. Cox was a son of Gilbert Cox, an early settler in Butler county, and was born on the home farm which now is owned by the former governor, who has restored the house to its original condition. Gilbert Cox built the first brick house in Wayne township and was a direct descendant of Thomas Cox, who emigrated to this country from England in 1681.

Roslyn

Vina Benningfield, Correspondent

Miss Maude Bowen of Slade, was here last week visiting her cousins, Misses Gertrude and Desta Derrickson, and Vina and Roxie Benningfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Meadows were in Winchester last Friday.

Clinton Spencer has been to Clay City on business.

Thanksgiving day has passed and we were thankful for the blessings God has sent upon us another year. And may He help us to be more worthy of His blessings in the years to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morton and children were here visiting relatives last week.

Sidney Rogers visited his cousin, Leonard James, Friday night.

R. M. Morton was on Morris creek last week to see his sister, who is very sick, and is not expected to recover.

If a person acts honestly and honorably in all his daily transactions there is no reason why he should not live to a respectable old age.

The high cost of living was a mere pup in the old days, when a woman cranked the machine that stood in a wash tub instead of a machine that stands in a garage.

The Christmas Gift, Worth While---A WATCH!!

Watches especially make very desirable Christmas gifts; for who is it that hasn't use for a good time piece? And there are so many uses for watches these days—for business, for professional needs, social affairs, sports and travel. You'll be interested in our present holiday display, which embraces a wonderful selection, with prices at their lowest in years.

Special Prices On Wrist Watches

A 15-jewel, 20 year case, guaranteed Wrist Watch, \$12.50. The same in Octagon shape \$15.50

A 15-jewel 14-kt. White Gold Guaranteed Wrist Watch \$21.75

A Dainty Elgin Wrist Watch. Behind it is the reputation of the famous Elgin factory. It's a beauty, too, and is jeweled throughout the escapement. Our special price is \$16.50

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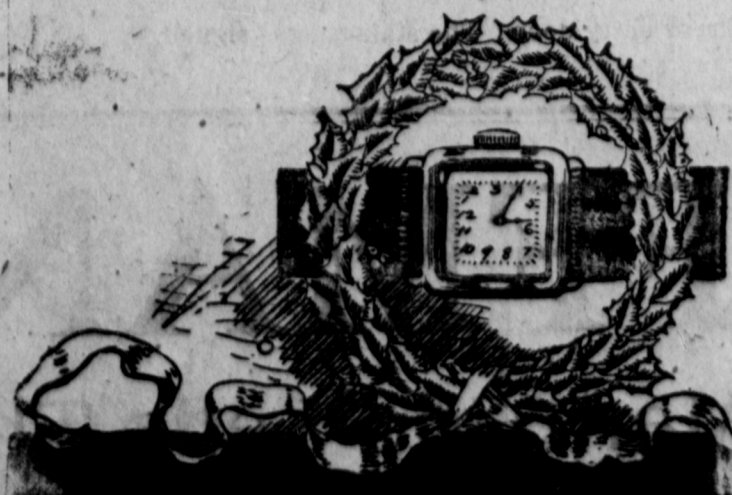
"Lady Maxim" 15-jewel, Octagon, Engraved Wrist Watch; fully adjusted and fitted with a 25-year case. Special price..... \$22.50

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1c Club pays \$12.75	5c Club pays \$ 63.75
2c Club pays \$25.50	10c Club pays \$127.50

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Start with the largest sum and Decrease your deposits each week. This is a very popular plan.

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Put the SAME AMOUNT EACH WEEK. In 50 weeks:

25c Club pays\$12.50	\$5.00 Club pays\$250.00
50c Club pays\$25.00	\$10.00 Club pays\$500.00
\$1.00 Club pays\$50.00	\$20.00 Club pays\$1000.00
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THE SICK

Mrs. Harry Crooks has been quite sick at the Clark county hospital in Winchester for the past ten days.

The condition of Mrs. Ann Priest, who was stricken with paralysis last week, shows little or no improvement.

Howard, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitehead, who had his tonsils removed at Winchester last week, is rapidly recovering.

W. S. Smathers, popular manager of the Mt. Sterling garage, who has been suffering with pleurisy at his home for the past week, is considerably improved, and, it is hoped, will soon be able to be out.

FOR SALE

One 24 Star drilling outfit, practically new, ready for use, in one mile of railroad, near Fincastle, Ky. For information address Sewell Cornwell, Rothwell, Ky. (10-6t)

RELIGIOUS

Rev. Olus Hamilton, of Leitchfield, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

The Rev. C. R. Pollard, district superintendent of the Kentucky district of the Church of the Nazarene, will preach in their hall on Bank street December 5 and 6. The public is cordially invited to hear him.

The Rev F. E. Hill, evangelist, of Los Angeles, Cal., has been called to take charge of the newly organized church of the Nazarene in this city. The hall on Bank street is already too small to accommodate the congregations on Sunday evenings. They are planning a great revival the beginning of the new year.

WANTED

Good fat turkeys for Christmas. Call and see us before selling. Thos. Heinrich & Son South Queen street, phone 819. (14-4t)

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TURKEYS BRING NICE SUM

Mrs. M. F. Carter, of the Howard Mills precinct, sold yesterday to G. D. Sullivan and Company 72 turkeys that averaged a fraction above 14 pounds and aggregated the nice sum of \$315.25.

Help the poor of your town. Seventy-five cents out of every dollar of the Christmas Seal sale goes to the Health and Welfare League of Mt. Sterling.

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WANTED

To lease retail store room about January 1. State size and location in first letter. Address The Advocate Publishing Co. (15-3t)

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way is convenient and easy to climb. The home is fitted with electricity for lighting and gas for heating. This house is well-built, centrally located and in a most desirable neighborhood. Garage for one machine. Lot lays well and drains perfectly.

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